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Crusades Poetry by You

What You’re Doing: Create a poem that is **at least 25 lines** and presents an overview of the Crusades. Your poem may be in any format you choose, and it may or may not rhyme.

* Type your poem, use an MLA heading.
* Your poem should incorporate the following words (1 point each)**.** Show your understanding of the term.

1. 1st Crusade
2. 3rd Crusade
3. Al-Hakim
4. chivalry
5. Christians
6. Church of Holy Sepulcher
7. forgiveness
8. holy war
9. Jerusalem
10. Jews
11. Muslims
12. Pilgrimage
13. Saladin
14. Seljuk Turks
15. Pope Urban II

* Your poem should address the following concepts (3 points each):
  + The cause of the Crusades
  + Europeans’ motives for engaging in the Crusades
  + The Middle Eastern world’s motive for engaging in the Crusades
  + The outcome of the Crusades, including who “won.”
  + The effects of the Crusades
* The poem is due \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* You will have the option to read it to the class. Doing so will be worth 10% of the grade.

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| **Rubric for Crusades Poetry** | **Points** |
| Required Words (1 point each):   * 1. 1st Crusade   2. 3rd Crusade   3. Al-Hakim   4. chivalry   5. Christians   6. Church of Holy Sepulchre   7. forgiveness   8. holy war   9. Jerusalem   10. Jews   11. Muslims   12. Pilgrimage   13. Saladin   14. Seljuk Turks   15. Pope Urban II | /15 |
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| The poem is at least 25 lines | /5 |
| The poem is neatly typed (with MLA format for heading) | /5 |
| **The poem shows creativity and accuracy** | **/10** |
| Reading of the poem in class (it’s done, and it’s read loudly and clearly) | /5 |
| **TOTAL:** | /50 |